

The following provides examples of the types of legislation found under each policy category:

Economic Development:

- Education & Workforce Development
- Business Attraction & Retention Policies
- Research and Development Funding
- Mandates related to Economic Impacts Analysis

Electricity Generation:

- Renewable & Alternative Energy Standards
- Net Metering
- Interconnection
- Shared Renewable Policies
- Lead-by-Example Programs

Emissions:

- Carbon Taxes
- Cap & Trade Programs
- Greenhouse Gas Registries
- Emission Reduction Targets
- Climate Action Plans
- Carbon Capture & Storage
- Vehicle Emissions Standards
- Climate Adaptation Plans & Requirements

Energy Efficiency:

- Energy Efficiency Resource Standards or Targets
- Appliance & Equipment Standards
- Building Energy Codes & Rating Systems
- Demand Side Management
- Rate-realignment & Decoupling
- Lead-by-Example Programs
- Energy Efficiency Performance Incentives

Financing and Financial Incentives:

- System Benefit Charges
- Tax Incentives & Rebates
- Performance Based Incentives
- Loan & Grant Programs
- Property Assessed Clean Energy

Infrastructure:

- Facility & Transmission Planning & Siting
- Resource Planning
- Balancing Authorities (ISOs, RTOs)
- Smart Meter / Grid Deployments
- Energy Storage
- Microgrids

Natural Gas Development:

- Natural Gas Development & Extraction
- Severance Taxes
- Mineral Rights

Other Energy was created as a space for bills related to the nation's energy economy, but that do not fit into any of the other nine categories. Typically, bills related to coal and underground storage tanks will be located here.

Regulatory:

- Utility Business Models
- Rate Recovery & Rate Setting
- Regulatory Board Compositions
- Legislative Oversight of State Agencies
- Omnibus Bills

Transportation:

- Renewable & Low Carbon Fuel Standards
- Alternative Fueled Vehicles
- Fueling and Charging Infrastructure
- Lead-by-Example Programs